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## AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 (Rule 116 Amendment) in Response to Final Office Action for this application.

## **EXTENSION OF TIME**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for a 1 month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136.

## FEES

The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:

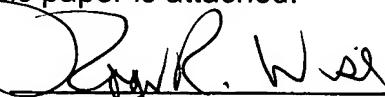
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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP.											
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE										\$	0.00
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE										\$	120.00
GRAND TOTAL										\$	120.00

**FEE PAYMENT**

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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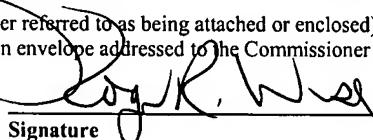
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